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Huerta Seizes U. S. Mail

AGED CHINAMAN ATTACKED BY HIGHBINDERS LAST NIGHT

Thought to Have $20,000 Hidden In a Tin Chest at the Head of His Bed—Three Countrymen At tempt Attack But Shrimp Vender Defends Self With Ax—Takes Refuge in Point Orient Pumping Station and Police Are Notified—Chief Arnold Made Flying Trip to Scene of Old Chinese C amp, But Gunmen Make Good Their Escape—Search Made To day in Vicinity by Ruiz

Owing to the belief that he was thought to have $20,000 hidden in a tin chest at the head of his bed was the cause for the midnight attack upon Ah Lim, the aged Chinese shrimp vender, by several other Chinamen at the camp on the waterfront last evening. The first that was known of the incident was when J. E. Weirick, boiler and pump tender for the Standard Oil company, at the Point Orient wharf, noticed the dark form of a man running toward the pumping station at 11:30 last night.

Chief of Police Arnold was immediately notified of the affair and accompanied by Sergeant Ruiz and Officers Barry and Brown, made a flying trip to the camp in an automobile where an extensive search failed to reveal the four men accused by the aged Chinaman of having tried to rob him.

Lim had retired for the evening in one of the broken down dilapidated shacks occupied by him as custodian of the place. He had not been asleep long when he was suddenly aroused by the creaking of an outer door leading into the shack.

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FUNERAL OF DROWNED BOY HELD TODAY

The funeral of Charles E. Brown, the young plastering contractor, residing at 134 First street, who met his death in the rough waters of the bay on Thursday afternoon, was held from the Smallwood undertaking parlors this afternoon, interment being in Sunset View cemetery.

Rev. D. W. Calfee of the Wesley Methodist church officiated at the services.

CITY CLERK FARIS CLEANS OUT VAULT

City Clerk Faris spent the entire day in cleaning out the large municipal vault, a section of which has been used for the storing of election notices and returns since 1900.

The pile of papers and other material was several feet in height. According to the state law the returns are required to be kept for at least one year following an election.

MISS DIXON HOST TO LORELIE CLUB

The members of the Lorelie club were entertained at the home of Miss Edna Dixon on Prospect avenue last evening. Whist was the evening's diversion, the prize winners were: First prize, Miss Lillian Axelson, and consolation prize, Miss Barbara Roth.

Following the card party dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

CLUB MEMBERS TO PICNIC AT CANYON

The Golden West club, composed of many young people from Oakland and Richmond, will hold a picnic at Grand Canyon park on next Sunday afternoon. A number of special events have been arranged for the day at the close of which dancing in the pavilion will be indulged in.

The local members of the club who will have charge of the affair are James Kane, Alton Lane and O. Mullen.

TEARING UP WORK IS PROGRESSING

The tearing up of Macdonald avenue by the construction crew of the Oakland Traction company for the installing of the new track has advanced as far as First street. More than 75 men are at the present time engaged in the work of tearing up the street which means that the second track will be installed in a short time.

FRANK CASE GOES INTO BUSINESS

Frank Case, well known mail order merchant, has leased the premises at No. 110 Macdonald avenue and will open a store for the sale of candy and notions. He will carry the same line of goods as formerly carried by Frank Jenks and will make a specialty of 5c and 10c goods The opening day of the new store will be announced later.

CAR COMPANY WILL PAINT CARS ORANGE

As rapidly as the cars on the Oakland-Richmond run are turned into the car barns they are given a thorough renovating and a bright new coat of orange paint which is to be the official color of the cars during the summer months. The company has found after repeated tests that the orange color shows less dust than the former bright yellow.

GORENFLO CASE IS DISMISSED

The case of Mary Gorenflo, who charged her husband with cruelty recently was dismissed by Police Judge Lindsey yesterday afternoon after listening to both sides of the case.

The case was dismissed on the grounds that if the court would have sentenced Gorenflo his wife would have been left destitute.

"Salute the Flag Or We Seize Vera Cruz"

WASHINGTON, April 15.—The arrest of an orderly who went ashore at Vera Cruz to obtain mail for the American fleet, the interception of dispatches to Charge O'Shaugnessy, the censorship over official dispatches, and repeated offenses "against the rights and dignity of the United States" were given today as some of the causes of the dispatch of the Atlantic fleet to Mexico in an official statement representing the administration views.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Huerta will salute the United States flag or the Atlantic fleet will seize Vera Cruz and Tampico. What happens afterward depends on Huerta.

That is President Wilson's determination.

Leaders in congress with whom he conferred today agreed there was ample precedent for such action.

Not only the Tampico incident, but a long series of indignities offered to the United States to the conspicuous exclusion of other foreign nations represented in Mexico has convinced the president and his advisers that the United States has been singled out for "manifestations of ill will and contempt."

President Wilson told his adviesrs he stands for peace, but is determined to force Huerta to recognize the honor and dignity of the United States.

Bartender Threatens Life of Waitress

William Wilson, a bartender at the Concord Inn, charged by Miss Emma Schleth, a waitress at the Popular bakery, with disturbing the peace, and having threatening her life, appeared before Police Judge Lindsey this morning and pleaded not guilty to the charge and his bail was fixed at $200. Up to a late hour today Wilson had been unable to secure the necessary bail money.

Judge Lindsey, after carefully listening to the man's story, said, "Is it not so that several weeks ago you went to Martinez where you secured a marriage licence without this young girl's consent?"

Wilson replied that he had, but that Miss Schleth had given him her promise to marry him.

"After I had secured the license," stated Wilson, "Miss Schleth, for some unknown reason said she would never marry me."

"Did you then threaten to kill her?" asked the Judge. Wilson replied that he had not. "My young man," continued the Judge, "you must be out of your mind."

Miss Schleth, when interviewed by a Record-Herald reporter, stated that Wilson lied when he said that she had ever made any promises to marry him. "Why," stated Miss Schleth, "he came to my home at 2 o'clock yesterday morning and asked me again if I would marry him and when I refused he said, 'well, girlie, you will never marry another man.'"

According to Miss Schleth the outcome of the whole affair was that Wilson, on several occasions, visited the Clark candy store at 804 Macdonald avenue where she was formerly employed and while sipping beverages fell violently in love with the pretty soda dispenser.

Merchants Hold a Meeting Last Night

The Merchants' association held a meeting last evening and received a proposition from the Sequoia Commercial club to amend the constitution of the latter body in accordance with the desires of the members of the former.

The amendments to the laws of the Sequoia Commercial clan, if adopted, will do much toward smoothing out the present difficulties existing.

Two alternate amendments have been submitted. The first provides for a dual organization to be known as the "Richmond Commercial association and Sequoia Club," and the second to be known as "The Richmond Commercial Association."

Provision is made in the former proposition for segregation of dues and the use of the hall by the merchants. The latter proposition will make the organization homogenous.

Friesleben Wedding Set for this Month

All San Francisco society is anxiously awaiting the wedding of H. A. Friesleben, manager of the Pacific Sanitary Manufacturing company's plant and member of the Vendome club, to Miss Anita Stearn, the talented and beautiful young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stearn of the metropolis, which is to take place at the Concordia club, San Francisco, on April 23rd.

The affair is to be of a very informal nature, only the immediate friends and relatives of the couple will be in attendance. Three of the ushers chosen from the Vendome club are Ford Edwards, W. "Bud" Wright and Tom Joy. Following the ceremony the couple will leave on an auto trip throughout the southern part of the state returning to reside in San Francisco.

WATER DEMONSTRATION TO OPEN NEXT FRIDAY

Apparatus for Filtering Sacramento River Water Has Been Set Up and All Is In Readiness for an Educational Campaign on the Part of Directors of Richmond Municipal Water District—Water Will Be Iced and Will Be Free to All Citizens of City—Professor Griswold, Chemist From University of California to Have Charge of Demonstration

All is in readiness for the demonstration of filtering water from the Sacramento river in the Ross building, next to the postoffice on Sixth street. The apparatus has been erected and next Friday morning the demonstration will begin and the people of Richmond are invited to call and see the product of the river transformed into water pure and as clear as a crystal.

Friday will mark the commencement of a campaign of education on the part of the directors of the Richmond Municipal Water district and the people of this city will have demonstrated to them an object lesson in the purification of river water by an extremely simple process.

Professor Griswold, a chemist from the University of California, will have charge of the demonstration and will explain to the visitors the process of purifying the river water and will also make plain the superiority of the Sacramento river product over that of water from other portions of the district.

The hours when the demonstration will be held will probably be from 2 o'clock in the afternoon until 5 in the evening and from 7 until 9 o'clock P. M.

DOUBLE MARRIAGE IN SAN RAFAEL

A double wedding ceremony was celebrated at San Rafael yesterday afternoon whin Miss Evelyn Hart of Ukiah, became the bride of Everett Lanson and Miss Grace Manuel was claimed by Phillip Lorez.

Both young men are well known here, being in the employ of the Standard Oil company.

COUPLE HOLD A WEDDING PARTY

Dr. and Mrs. Hall Vestal entertained a number of their intimate friends at a wedding anniversary party held at their home 210 Fifth street last evening. Those present were;

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter, Mrs. Sarah Beach and Rev. and Mrs. D. W. Calfee.

Knute Sanddeck, who has been employed at the East Side grocery for the past year, will leave tomorrow for his former home in Norway. He will stop off at Minneapolis to visit friends and relatives before continuing his journey to Europe.

HOTTENGER BOY WILL NEVER BE ABLE TO WALK

That little Clifford Hottinger, the 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hottinger, of San Pablo, will never be able to walk without the aid of an artificial leg or crutches, was the statement given out today by attending physicians. Last evening a section of the bone in the leg from the knee to the ankle was removed with the hopes that the disease that has so rapidly eaten his limb away might be checked, but should this prove unsuccessful a second operation will have to be performed amputating the leg at the hip.

GLEE CLUB GUEST AT JOLLY PARTY

Miss Vera Wyatt entertained the members of the E'Studentina glee club of the local high school at an informal party held at her home at 549 Sixth street last evening. A short program took up the early part of the evening at the conclusion of which refreshments were served by the young hostess.

LORELIE GIRLS TO GIVE INFORMAL HOP

The girls of the Lorelie club, at their meeting held last evening at the home of Miss Edna Dixon on Prospect avenue, completed arrangements for holding an invitational dance in Sequoia hall the latter part of this month.

The exact date for the dance has not as yet been decided upon.

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GETTING RICH IN RICHMOND

It is no trick at all for the man with money to make more money by investment in Richmond real estate. What we desire to get at is how the poor man can get a stake and a beginning along the riches route in this same manner. The rub is always in getting the first thousand dollars, in any line of endeavor, and the only way to do it is to get right down and grind and save every possible dollar until a start is obtained, and after that it is easy.

The best way to get a home place by a poor man is to make easy monthly payments on a lot or two until a deed for it is secured, and then a house can be put on it by the same plan, if the lot or lots are clear. In this way rent money is put into the accumulation of a home place, which is most desirable, as rent money is something that never comes back but is a dead expense, whereas a home place is something very nice for anybody to own, especially the married man with a family, for in case of sickness or death coming to him the family at least has a home to shelter it from the roughness of the world, and that is a great deal. If a wife has a home of her own, she can make some kind of a shift to get along, but with no home it is doubly hard. It is a duty that every man owes to his wife and children to provide some kind of a home of their own, no matter how humble. Better build one room and live in that until another can be added to it, than to pay rent.

If a man has a bit of money laid by in a savings bank, it is better to invest it in Richmond realty, for the reason that the raise in the value and price of the real estate is much more than banking interest amounts to.

Manager Curry of the First National Bank of this city issued a little booklet this week, telling of one man who worked here on a salary of $75 a month, which later on was increased to $90, and on this he deposited a small amount each month until he got enough to make a payment on a home place and then kept on making monthly payments on the home until he got it paid for, and now has two of them, one of which he rents to other people, and states that this is only one instance of many which have come under his observation.

Every man and his wife ought to get together on this plan, and agree to do it, no matter if it does call for some small sacrifices from each for a few years. Later on the benefit is reaped and the little hardships made necessary in order to get a start are forgotten. And in the meantime the home place is not only being paid for by applying the old rent money, and maybe a bit more each month, but it is also being improved, for it is astonishing how a man and wife will work on making little improvements if it is on a home place of their own, and it is also astonishing how fast that sort of effort counts up, and how good results are obtained from a little work along from time to time as one can devote a bit of spare time, say, an hour in the morning or evening and half a day Sunday. Flowers and trees cost next to nothing. You can get all the slips you want for nothing, and in a year's time a little home place can thus be made to look like a veritable Garden of Eden, and its value in dollars added to very materially.

There is no possible doubt but what Richmond is destined to be a large city in less than twenty years. A dozen years ago it was nothing. Today it has in the neighborhood of 20,000 inhabitants, and more coming every day. In five years it should have at the present rate at least 50,000. In ten years 100,000 or more, and thereafter the increase will be very rapid, for one thing brings another, because of these facilities here which are absolutely necessary to them, and which other cities have not got and never can get. God put the deep harbor here, and all we have got to do is to take advantage of it. The rest is all a mere matter of detail.

Water and rail transportation and shipping facilities to all parts of the civilized world for the products of our factories, and cheap fuel oil power, with proximity to the immediate ready markets of all creation right at our very door, has given Richmond a start now that nothing on earth can stop or hinder. This growth to a metropolitan city and great manufacturing center is as sure of realization as is the sun to rise and shine. Not even a national war could check it in its onward progress. You can't figure it out any other way.

It is perfectly safe to figure on a 25 per cent raise in Richmond real estate values every year for many years to come. This is a law of economics which has never failed yet when applied to cities located at the strategic junction where great trans-continental railroad lines meet ocean-going ships at a great deep water harbor. The law is that such cities have doubled their sizes and values every six years until the final limit of the productiveness of the locality has been reached. In Richmond's case this limit will not be reached in fifty years, and maybe not in a hundred. The territory tributary to this shipping port is capable of supporting a population as big as that of France, yet it has today less than one-twentieth of it. The possibilities here are simply enormous and stupendous.

All these things the Standard Oil company head men, the management of the Pullman company, the Santa Fe railroad and the Southern Pacific, knew and figured out years ago, and now it is fast coming true, just exactly as they figured when they came here and invested forty or fifty millions of dollars. Those kind of men are hard-headed, cold-blooded business men. They figure on an absolute certainty, and take no chances. They know just exactly what they are doing, years ahead, but the average man don't look ahead, and that is why he don't get ahead.

With the Panama Canal pouring in the trade and traffic from all over the world, with Richmond's great harbors improved and in good working order, with the municipal tunnel connecting them with the sea, with San Francisco already crowded right up to the limit for docking facilities, and with great factories giving employment to an army of men here and shipping their products to China, Japan, the Philippines, New Zealand, Australia and other places, Richmond will be enjoying exactly the same conditions which have built up New York, London and other great cities, and in due course of time there should be a city here of over a million population! Why not?

Get you a lot! Pay a little along on it as you can, and then get another! Build you a home place, and then when you get that paid for build another to rent to somebody less fortunate.

Thousands of these lots which now sell by the lot will be selling by the front foot in a few years. Get a piece of land, no matter how small the beginning. It will grow just like a snowball rolling down hill. Get it if you can't pay more than $10 a month on it, or even $5, and then hang on like a bull pup to a root! There is millions in it. The greatest successful men of the age have said so, and they come pretty near knowing what they are talking about. Get in now on the ground floor. Commence tomorrow. It does not make much difference about locality. Get some in every old locality. Nobody knows where lightning is going to strike, but that it has been striking all over Richmond in the past few years we all know, and that it is going to keep right on striking is just as sure as anything that can be figured on with certainty by mortal man.

If Chester Rowell is a good man, as his friends claim for him, he can best prove it by getting out of a foolish race for the United States senate, a position he is in no ways capable or calculated to fill with credit either to himself or the people of California. Mr. Rowell's experience as a national legislator consists in being a clerk for his father when the latter was in congress. We have not the slightest doubt but what Mr. Rowell is a good man, but he has a dreadful inflation of the ego, and takes himself too seriously.

The obstetrician of the Oakland Tribune adds this startling information to the world's stock of useful knowledge: "California adds one baby every twelve minutes to its population. That is what may be termed "going some." One baby each twelve minutes means 120 additions to population in twenty-four hours, 43,800 a year. Why solicit immigration when the state is being replenished at this rate with native sons and daughters?"

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1914

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

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First Monday of March, 1914

in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement to the full penalty of the law.

All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the Assessor's office or of his deputies.

All statements must be in the Assessor's office on or before the 1st day of May, 1914.

The STATE POLL TAX of Two Dollars and ROAD POLL TAX of Two Dollars each are now due and payable at this office, or to a Deputy Assessor.

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G. O. MEESE,
County Assessor.

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NOTICE OF IMPROVEMENT INVITING PROPOSALS THEREFOR

Pursuant to Statute and to Resolution Ordering Work No. 218-2, of the Council of the City of Richmond, adopted April 13th, 1914, directing this notice, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that for the following described Street Work, ordered by said Council, and to be done according to the Specifications No. 218-2, posted and on file in my office, and therefor adopted by said Council on the 16th day of March, 1914, by Resolution Adopting Plans, etc., No. 218-2 to which reference for particulars is hereby made, namely:

That Santa Fe Avenue from the southwesterly line of Richmond Avenue to a line drawn at right angles to the center line of said Santa Fe Avenue, through the southeasterly corner of Block Fifteen (15) of the Third Addition to the Town of Richmond, including the intersection of Nicholl Avenue and the termination of Piedmont Place with said Santa Fe Avenue, be graded to its full width to the official lines and grades, paved with oiled macadam, and curbed and guttered with cement concrete and have cement concrete sidewalks constructed thereon.

That Nicholl Avenue from the northwesterly line of Santa Fe Avenue to the southeasterly line of Martina Street, and Piedmont Place from the northwesterly line of Santa Fe Avenue to the southeasterly line of Martina Street, be graded to their full widths to the official lines and grades, paved with oiled macadam, and curbed and guttered with cement concrete and have cement concrete sidewalks constructed thereon.

That culverts of corrugated iron and concrete be constructed at the following places: On the northwesterly curb line of Santa Fe Avenue across Nicholl Avenue and across Piedmont Place.

That a manhole of brick and concrete, with cast iron ring and cover, be constructed at each of the following places: At the intersection of the center line of Santa Fe Avenue and the center line of Nicholl Avenue, and at the intersection of the center line of Santa Fe Avenue and the center line of Piedmont Place.

Excepting from the above work any part now in to the official lines, grades and specifications, and further excepting any of said work required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or corporation having railroad tracks thereon.

All the above described work shall be done in accordance with the plans and specifications adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond for said work by its resolution duly passed at a regular meeting of said Council held on the 16th day of March, 1914, and numbered 218-2, now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Richmond, reference thereto being especially made.

And the Council does hereby determine and declare that the public interest and convenience requires that said work and improvement should be done, and that said proposed work and improvement is of more than ordinary or local public benefit, and will affect and benefit the lands and district hereinafter described, which said district is hereby declared and established to be the district benefited by said work and improvement, and that the costs, charges and expenses of said work, including incidental expenses, shall be and are hereby made chargeable against, and shall be assessed upon such lands and district, all of which district is within the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the most northerly corner of Lot One (1), Block Three (3), as said lot and block are delineated and so designated on that certain map entitled "Amended Map No. 1 of the Town of Richmond," filed in the office of the County Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on November 10, 1900; thence southeasterly to the most easterly corner of said Lot One (1), Block Three (3); thence southwesterly to the most southerly corner of said Lot One (1), Block Three (3); thence southeasterly to the most easterly corner of Lot Four (4), said Block Three (3) Amended Map No. 1 of the Town of Richmond; thence southwesterly to the most southerly corner of Lot Four (4), Block Twelve (12), as said lot and block are delineated and so designated on that certain map entitled "Map of Third Addition to Town of Richmond," filed in the office of the County Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on June 17, 1901; thence northwesterly to the most westerly corner of said Lot Four (4), Block Twelve (12); thence westerly to the most southerly corner of Lot One (1), Block Fifteen (15), said Map of Third Addition to Town of Richmond; thence northwesterly to the most southerly corner of Lot Three (3), said Block Fifteen (15); thence northwesterly to the most westerly corner of said Lot Three (3), Block Fifteen (15); thence northerly to the most southerly corner of Lot Six (6), said Block Fifteen (15); thence northwesterly to the most westerly corner of said Lot Six (6), Block Fifteen (15); thence northeasterly to the most northerly corner of Lot Six (6), Block Four (4), Amended Map No. 1 of the Town of Richmond aforesaid; thence southeasterly to the most easterly corner of said Lot Six (6), Block Four (4); thence northeasterly to the most northerly corner of Lot One (1) said Block Four (4); thence southeasterly along the southwesterly line of Richmond Avenue to the most northerly corner of Lot One (1), Block Three (3), aforesaid, and the point of beginning. Being all within the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California. Saving, excluding and excepting from said district all lanes, alleys, streets, avenues, and places therein included and contained.

That said City Council, under the authority conferred upon it by the provisions of that certain Act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved April 7, 1911, and known as the "Improvement Act of 1911," determines and declares that serial bonds be issued to represent the cost of said proposed improvements; said bonds shall be serial, extending over a period of five (5) years from the second day of January next succeeding their date, and shall be issued to represent assessments of twenty-five dollars ($25.00) or more remaining unpaid for thirty (30) days after the date of the warrant issued to the contractor, or five (5) days after the decision of said council upon an appeal; an even annual proportion of the principal sum of each bond shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January of each year after its date until the whole is paid, and the interest shall be payable semi-annually by coupon, on the second days of January and July, respectively, of each year at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid until the whole of said principal and interest is paid; and said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of said "Improvement Act of 1911."

Sealed proposals are hereby invited to be filed in the office of the undersigned, City Clerk of said City, on or before 8 o'clock p. m. Monday, April 27, 1914.

Bidders must file with each proposal a Check, certified by a responsible bank, payable to the order of the City of Richmond, for an amount which shall be not less than ten per cent. of the aggregate of said proposal, or a Bond for said amount, payable as aforesaid, signed by the bidder and by two sureties, who shall justify, before an officer authorized to administer an oath, in double the said amount, over and above all Statutory exemptions. Bids received as above will be opened at 8:30 P. M. of said last named day.

Dated at the Clerk's office, City of Richmond, this 14th day of April, 1914.

(Seal) A. C. FARIS,
City Clerk of the City of Richmond.
First Publication April 14, 1914.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the estate of Herman Wanske, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executrix of the last Will and Testament of Herman Wanske, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within Ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix, at the Law Offices of B. H. Griffins, Rooms 1 and 2, No. 803 Macdonald Ave., cor. 8th street, City of Richmond, Contra Costa, State of California, her place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated April 6th, 1914.

AUGUSTE WANSKE, Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Herman Wanske, deceased.

April 7, 14, 21, 28, May 5.

Dr. C. R. Blake makes a specialty of all eye, ear, nose and throat troubles. Glasses accurately fitted. Offices in Pillow Bldg., 707 Macdonald ave., at Seventh st. mar5-1yr

NOTICE OF IMPROVEMENT INVITING PROPOSALS THEREFOR

Pursuant to Statute and to Resolution Ordering Work No. 201-2, of the Council of the City of Richmond, adopted April 13th, 1914, directing this notice, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that for the following described Street Work, ordered by said Council, and to be done according to the Specifications No. 201-2 posted, and on file in my office, and therefor adopted by said Council on the 16th day of March, 1914, by Resolution Adopting Plans, etc., No. 201-2, to which reference for particulars is hereby made, namely:

That Sixth Street from the southerly line of Ohio Street to the northerly line of Cutting Boulevard, including the intersection of Virginia Street with said Sixth Street, be graded to its full width to the official lines and grades, paved with oiled macadam, and curbed, guttered and sidewalked with cement concrete. That culverts of corrugated iron and concrete, with branches and concrete wing walls and portals be constructed across Virgina Street on the easterly and westerly curb lines of Sixth Street. That the existing culverts in the Florida Street and Maine Street intersections be extended to the curb line, and that portals and wing walls of concrete be constructed thereon; that the existing curb returns in Florida Street and Maine Street intersections be removed and relaid, and that the space between the old and new curbs be graded and paved with oiled macadam.

Excluding from the above any portion of said work now in to the official lines, grades and specifications, and excluding therefrom any portion of said work required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or corporation having railroad tracks thereon.

All of said work and improvement to be done in accordance with the plans and specifications adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond for said work by its resolution duly passed at a regular meeting of said Council held on the 16th day of March, 1914, and numbered 201-2, now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Richmond, reference thereto being hereby especially made.

And the Council does hereby determine and declare that the public interest and convenience require that said work and improvement should be done, and that said proposed work and improvement is of more than ordinary or local public benefit, and will affect and benefit the lands and district hereinafter described, which said district is hereby declared and established to be the district benefited by said work and improvement, and that the costs, charges and expenses of said work, including incidental expenses, shall be and are hereby made chargeable against, and shall be assessed upon such land and district, all of which district is within the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the northwesterly corner of Block Thirty-three (33) as shown on "Map of Santa Fe" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California on March 17, 1900, and running thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot Nine (9), said Block Thirty-three (33); thence to the southeasterly corner of said Lot Nine (9); thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot Ten (10), said Block Thirty-three (33); thence to the Southeasterly corner of lot Twenty (20), said Block Thirty-three (33); thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot Twenty-one (21), said Block Thirty-three (33); thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot Nine (9), Block Thirty-two (32), said Santa Fe; thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot Ten (10), said Block Thirty-two (32); thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot Twenty (20), said Block Thirty-two (32); thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot Twenty-one (21), said Block Thirty-two (32); thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot Nine (9), Block Thirty-one (31), said Santa Fe; thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot Ten (10), said Block Thirty-one (31); thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot Nineteen (19), Block Thirty (30), said Santa Fe; thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot Twenty (20), said Block Thirty (30); thence to the southeasterly corner of said Lot Twenty (20); thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot Twenty-eight (28), Block Twenty-five (25), said Santa Fe; thence to the northwesterly corner of said Lot Twenty-eight (28); thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot Twenty-nine (29), said Block Twenty-five (25); thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot Thirty-nine (39), Block Twenty-four (24), said Santa Fe; thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot One (1), said Block Twenty-four (24); thence to the northwesterly corner of said Lot One (1); thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot Twenty-nine (29), Block Twenty-three (23), said Santa Fe; thence to the northwesterly corner of said Lot Twenty-nine (29); thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot Thirty (30), said Block Twenty-three (23); thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot Thirty-nine (39), said Block Twenty-three (23); thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot One (1), said Block Twenty-three (23); thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot Twenty-nine (29), Block Twenty-two (22), said Santa Fe; thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot Thirty (30), said Block Twenty-two (22); thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot Thirty-nine (39), said Block Twenty-two (22); thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot One (1), said Block Twenty-two (22); thence to the northwesterly corner of said Lot One (1); thence to the northeasterly corner of said Lot One (1); thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot Nine (9), Block Thirty-three (33), said Santa Fe, and the point of commencement. Being all in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California. Saving, excepting and excluding from said district all public streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, crossings and places therein included and contained.

That said City Council, under the authority conferred upon it by the provisions of that certain Act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved April 7, 1911, and known as the "Improvement Act of 1911," determines and declares that serial bonds be issued to represent the cost of said proposed improvements; said bonds shall be serial, extending over a period of five (5) years from the second day of January next succeeding their date, and shall be issued to represent assessments of twenty-five dollars ($25.00) or more remaining unpaid for thirty (30) days after the date of the warrant issued to the contractor, or five (5) days after the decision of said council upon an appeal; an even annual proportion of the principal sum of each bond shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January of each year after its date and until the whole is paid, and the interest shall be payable semi-annually by coupon, on the second days of January and July, respectively, of each year at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid until the whole of said principal and interest is paid; and said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of said "Improvement Act of 1911."

Sealed proposals are hereby invited to be filed in the office of the undersigned, City Clerk of said City, on or before 8 o'clock P. M., Monday, April 27, 1914.

Bidders must file with each proposal a Check, certified by a responsible Bank, payable to the order of the City of Richmond, for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent of the aggregate of said proposal, or a Bond for said amount, payable as aforesaid, signed by the bidder and by two sureties, who shall justify, before an officer authorized to administer an oath, in double the said amount, over and above all Statutory exemptions. Bids received as above will be opened at 8:30 P. M. of said last named day.

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NOTICE OF IMPROVEMENT INVITING PROPOSALS THEREFOR

Pursuant to Statute and to Resolution Ordering Work No. 224, of the Council of the City of Richmond, adopted April 13, 1914, directing this notice, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that for the following described Street Work, ordered by said Council, and to be done according to the Specifications No. 224, posted, and on file in my office, and therefor adopted by said Council on the 16th day of March, 1914, by Resolution adopting Plans, etc., No. 224, to which reference for particulars is hereby made, namely:

That Second Street from the northerly line of the right-of-way of the Oakland Branch of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway to the northerly line of Ohio Street, and from the southerly line of Ohio Street to the northerly line of Cutting Boulevard, including all intersections and terminations included within said limits, be graded to its full width to the official lines and grades; paved with oiled macadam, and guttered, curbed and sidewalked with cement concrete; that culverts of corrugated iron and concrete with branches, concrete wing walls and portals be constructed on the easterly and westerly curb lines of said Second Street, across Florida, Maine and Virginia Streets and Potrero Avenue; that the existing twenty-four (24) inch culvert under the track of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway be extended northeasterly to the easterly line of Second Street and that a concrete catch basin with cast iron rim and cover be constructed at the last named point, and that eight (8) inch corrugated iron culverts be constructed from said catch basin to the easterly and westerly curb lines of Second Street at the northerly line of said right-of-way; that the existing twenty-four (24) inch culvert be extended southerly to a concrete catch basin to be constructed on the northerly side of Second Street at the southerly line of said right-of-way; that the present twenty-four (24) inch corrugated iron culvert under Second Street south of the track of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway be removed and relaid and extended across Second Street from the said southerly catch basin. That concrete portals be constructed at all exposed ends of the foregoing culverts.

Excluding from the above work any of said work required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or corporation having railroad tracks thereon, and excepting any of said work now in to the official lines, grades and specifications.

All the above described work to be done in accordance to the plans and specifications therefor adopted by the City Council for said work, at their regular meeting held on the 16th day of March, 1914, now on file in the office of the Clerk of the City of Richmond, reference thereto being hereby especially made.

And the Council further determines that in its opinion the above work of improvement is of more than local or ordinary benefit and declares that the cost, charges and expense of said work, including incidental expenses, shall be and are hereby made chargeable against, and shall be assessed upon, such lands and district, all of which district is within the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, more particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the northwesterly corner of Lot Twenty-four (24), Block Nine (9), as shown on the Amended Map of the City of Richmond, filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on the 31st day of March, 1905; and running thence easterly to the northeasterly corner of said Lot Twenty-four (24); thence southerly to the southeasterly corner of Lot Twenty-two (22), said Block Nine (9); thence along the southerly line of said Lot Twenty-two (22) to the northeasterly corner of Lot Eighty-seven (87), Block "A," as shown on the map entitled "Santa Fe" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, on the 17th day of March, 1900; thence to the southeasterly corner of said Lot Eighty-seven (87); thence to a point on the northerly line of Block Nine (9), said Santa Fe, which point is 112.5 feet easterly from the northwesterly corner of said Block Nine (9); thence southerly parallel to and 112.5 feet easterly from the easterly line of said Second Street to the southerly line of Virgina Street; thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot Five (5), Block Six (6), said Santa Fe; thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot Six (6), said Block Six (6); thence to the northeasterly corner of said Lot Six (6); thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot Seven (7), said Block Six (6); thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot Eight (8), said Block Six (6); thence to the southeasterly corner of said Lot Eight (8); thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot Six (6), Block Five (5), said Santa Fe; thence to the southeasterly corner of said Lot Six (6); thence along the southwesterly lines of Lots Five (5), Four (4) and Three (3), said Block Five (5), to the easterly line of Lot Twelve (12), said Block Five (5); thence southerly parallel to and 112.5 feet easterly from the easterly line of Second Street to the northerly line of Cutting Boulevard; thence along the said northerly line of Cutting Boulevard to a point 112.5 feet westerly from the westerly line of Second Street; thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot Forty-eight (48), Block Four (4), said Santa Fe; thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot Two (2), said Block Four (4); thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot Six (6), said Block Four (4); thence to the northwesterly corner of said Lot Six (6); thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot Twenty-two (22), Block Three (3), said Santa Fe; thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot Twenty-three (23), said Block Three (3); thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot Thirty (30), said Block Three (3); thence northerly parallel to and 112.5 feet westerly from the westerly line of said Second Street to the southerly line of Ohio Street; thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot Ninety (90), Block "A", said Santa Fe; thence to the northwesterly corner of said Lot Ninety (90); thence westerly to the southwesterly corner of Lot Twenty-one (21), Block Six (6), said City of Richmond Tract; thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot Nineteen (19), said Block Six (6); thence to the northeasterly corner of said Lot Nineteen (19); thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot Twenty-four (24), Block Nine (9), said City of Richmond Tract, and the point of commencement.

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That said City Council, under the authority conferred upon it by the provisions of that certain act of the Legislature of the State of California approved April 7, 1911, and known as the "Improvement Act of 1911," determines and declares that serial bonds be issued to represent the cost of said proposed improvements; said bonds shall be serial, extending over a period of five (5) years from the second day of January next succeeding their date, and shall be issued to represent assessments of twenty-five dollars ($25.00) or more remaining unpaid for thirty (30) days after the date of the warrant issued to the contractor, or five (5) days after the decision of said Council upon an appeal; an even annual proportion of the principal sum of each bond shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January of each year after its date until the whole is paid, and the interest shall be payable semi-annually, by coupon, on the second days of January and July, respectively, of each year at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid until the whole of said principal and interest is paid; and said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of said "Improvement Act of 1911."

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KUNTZ PLEADS GUILTY TO THEFT

Al Kunze, the carpenter residing at 324 Eighteenth street, who was caught by Officer Munday with a large piece of lumber, taken from the yards of the Richmond Lumber company Saturday night, appeared before Police Judge Lindsey this afternoon and plead guilty to a charge of petit larceny. He will come up for sentence tomorrow morning.

MARTINEZ TO HAVE REALB ATTLESHIPS

MARTINEZ, April 15.—The powerful influence of James D. Phelan is exerted with the administration at Washington to have an array of battleships, cruisers and the torpedo flotilla at Martinez during the state encampment of the United Spanish War Veterans from May 11 to 14.

Mr. Phelan has voice with the Wilson administration. He is the Democratic candidate for United States George C. Perkins. He was for two terms mayor of San Francisco and is a friend of the Spanish War Veterans. He raised $65,000 in San Francisco upon the return of the California regiments from the Philippines to properly honor and entertain them.

Mr. Phelan has been put in touch with the situation here and made acquainted with the desires of the people of Martinez and Contra Costa to have the fleet here during the encampment time and the word of the popular former grand president of the Native Sons, former mayor of San Francisco and one of the leading piblicists of the state, has been given that he will leave no stone unturned to influence the administration to comply with the request of the people to signally honor the veterans.

Phelan is prompt and effective in action and it may be set down as an accomplished fact that all the battleshops, cruisers and torpedo boats that can be possibly mobilized in the harbor at Martinez will be here riding at their anchor chains when the Veterans begin to arrive. It will also be arranged that the officers and crews will participate in the parade and be given shore liberty during the days of festivity and welcome.

DYNAMITE CASES SET FOR APRIL 22

MARTINEZ, April 15.—That Maxwell McNutt, who appeared at the last trial of Thomas J. Mooney as associate counsel but who in reality did the lion's share of the work will handle the defense at the next time assisted by T. D. Johnston and H. B. Lister is the rumor which was circulated about the court house on Tuesday. At the first trial Lister handled the defense but the report is that a change in management will be noted when Mooney faces a second jury on trial for having possession of a high explosive (fulminate of mercury).

Joe Brown and H. G. Hanlon were taken into court Tuesday morning and their cases set for trial on April 22nd to follow the Mooney trial, Brown being the one who will probably be tried second. Johnson asked that an order be made directing the writing up of the transcript of the testimony in the first trial but Judge Latimer declined to make the order on the ground that as the trial was held before Judge Barber he is without jurisdiction in the matter.

The bonds in all three cases remain as before and Hanlon is as yet the only one who is at liberty. Hanlon is a lineman formerly employed by an electric company and was one of the gang with which Frank W. Cunningham was working at Colgate when the accident occurred which nearly cost him his life and it was Hanlon who was the first to reach Cunningham, his aid being probably what saved the latter's life.

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APRIL 30 IS PROCLAMED RAISIN DAY

SACRAMENTO, April 14. — A proclamation calling for the observance of Raisin day, April 30, was issued by Governor Johnson, as follows:

"I, Hiram W. Johnson, Governor of the State of California, do hereby designate and commend for observance as Raisin Day Thursday, the 30th day of April.

"The people of the raisin-growing regions have planned elaborate celebrations of the day, and all Californians have good reasons to join with them in rejoicing over the prosperity of an industry which contributes so greatly to the welfore of our state."

NETHERSOLE OPENED AT THE ORPHEUM

The performances of Miss Olga Nethersole, the famous English actress, proved to be remarkable in every way when she opened at the Oakland Orpheum theatre yesterday, playing the third act of Daudet's "Sapho."

The theatre was crowded with playgoers who anticipated a rich dramatic treat and none of them were disappointed.

The personality of Miss Nethersole is so striking and her art so fine that almost anything she might produce would be worth while. In "Sapho" she has a vehicle that suits her perfectly and gives her ample opportunity for the display of genius which is unquestionably hers.

As "Sapho" she thrilled the vaudeville devotees Sunday and showed them height and depth of emotion which ordinarily are never touched in the vaudeville dramatic sketch. For thirty minutes Miss Nethersole held the Sunday crowds spellbound with the magic of her art and at the finish she was given such an ovation as would have delighted any actress—even the greatest.

The Orpheum company certainly deserves that congratulations of theatre-goers for the importation of such wonderful stars as Miss Nethersole. With her English company she gives such class and tone to the program as to lift it far above the ordinary levels of even high class vaudeville and that ranks as something to be very thankful for.

After Miss Nethersole, came Herman Timberg, the marvelous lad, who excels both as a fun-maker and a violinist. His stunts in the comedy line set the house in a gale of laughter and when he played the violin he showed such a masterly hand that he was acclaimed almost as a virtuoso. He played that beautiful melody "Just a Little Love, a Little Kiss" as it has never been played before in this part of the world, that bit alone would probably be to many worthy the price of admission.

Keno, Walsh & Melrose, showed some new stunts as comedy gymnasts that were thoroughly diverting.

Rive & Morgan pleased with some novel comedy stunts and Catalano & Denny won big rounds of applause and laughter with their ragtime playing and songs.

Julia Nash with her players produced a striking farce comedy called "Her First Case" that was thoroughly acceptable.

Alfred Wallenstein, billed as the wonderful boy 'cellist, made good his billing. He is a lad in knickerbockers but plays the 'cello with the art and sure touch of a thorough master. He was accompanied by Miss Freebey at the piano and she also is an artist of the first mark. Their offering was a treat to musical lovers.

Mosher, Hayes & Mosher contributed some fun on a wheel that gave the program a great start.

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SONGS THAT WE USED TO SING

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It has been said that in this age of rapid progress we are prone to forget the old order of things. Styles and customs are constantly changing; new conditions bring about new inventions; but even though we should try to do it, there are some of the old things that we cannot forget. Take for instance, the old songs. Nobody wants to forget them even though such a desire existed. Every now and then one of the dear old favorites is revived and at once becomes as popular as in the days when it first became a real "hit."

The Record-Herald believes that its readers love the old songs and for their benefit it has arranged to offer them a volume called "Songs That Never Grow Old," in which are contained all the dearly beloved old favorites. There are two styles of binding, one in heavy English cloth, which is a beautiful $2.50 book, and the other in art bristol covers. These volumes are elaborately illustrated with portraits of the world's greatest vocal artists, many in favorite costumes.

For a short time the Record-Herald will offer these books on the popular coupon plan, which is explained in the display announcement printed in another column of this issue. Look for the coupon and clip it without delay.

NEWLYWEDS ARE GUESTS AT PARTY

A pleasant surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Charles Andrews at the Edenia apartments last evening by a number of their young friends. The program which took up the evening follows:

Reading by Peter McCallum, vocal solo by D. W. Baker, and piano solo by Mrs. W. W. Feich. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Raitt, Mr. and Mrs. Peter McCallum, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Zumwalt, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Feich, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Dell, Miss Rose Woods, D. W. Bakers and E. R. Temperli.

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CONTRA COSTA COUNTY NEWS

MARTINEZ

Martinez is all worked up over its coming big celebration of and for the Spanish War Veterans, which is to take place there May 11 to 14, and elaborate preparations will be made to make this the greatest celebration of the kind ever held in this section of California. There will be many thousands of visitors and they will be shown the time of their lives. Among other big stunts which are liable to be pulled off, James D. Phelan, of San Francisco, who is presumed to be the Democratic choice in this state for the office of United States senator, is endeavoring to arrange for the federal government to have a fleet of warships, torpedo boats and the like in the harbor at Martinez during the celebration, with shore leave for the soldier-sailors, and it is believed he can accomplish his object, which will certainly be some big advertisement for Martinez and its water connections.

The city election passed off quietly Monday, with very little excitement. The list of municipal officers elected are given in a special article elsewhere in this paper. Most everybody was satisfied with the result and the concensus of opinion is that the town will have a progressive and wide awake administration.

Martinez has practically promised support and co-operation with Richmond in the latter's efforts to bring a big supply of Sacramento river water down along the waterfront of this county via Antioch, Pittsburg and Martinez to Richmond, and will vote favorably upon participation in the project when the election is submitted to the voters of the newly created water district in May. People who thought Martinez only used water for scrubbing purposes can now see where they were mistaken—lots of it is used as a beverage.

Last Sunday was a great day in Martinez, all the church societies observing Easter with much elaboration. It was a beautiful day, the people were out in hundreds to the services and the various churches were beautifully decorated with flowers, of which there are many millions growing all around Martinez.

At the meeting of the County Republicans at Martinez Monday, for the purpose of reorganization and preparing for the coming county election, the various and sundry candidates for county positions were all in evidence with the glad hand and the pleasant smile. The old time Republicans shook hands all around and proclaimed the beauties and glories of the grand old party. They got together and fought the war of the rebellion all over, freed the slaves, including the public and arranged to have 320 gold pieces grow on every bush. It's a good scheme. We are in favor of it, and we know and Judge Hannum both said so. Judge Hannum both said so.

PITTSBURG

The local parlor of the Native Sons at a recent meeting passed a resolution calling upon everybody to patronize California manufacturing enterprises by buying only such goods as are made in this state where possible. It is a good plan and meets with universal approval. You cannot build up manufacturing enterprises at home by buying the goods made by factories away from home, and California is going to be a big manufacturing state in the future if her people will stand by her, and Contra Costa county, and incidentally Pittsburg, will not be slow in this coming great manufacturing line.

Waldo Coleman has been given a franchise for the distribution of gas in Pittsburg and will proceed to lay a system of gas mains throughout the town during the year, furnishing the citizens with gas to light, heat and cook by. The Post, of course, has its own supply of natural gas, but it was not of sufficient volume to supply the whole town, although it makes the press wheels, (and a few in Joe Tracy's head) go round fine.

Another contingent of the army of fishermen headed for Alaskan waters left Pittsburg last week on the big ship Star of Scotland which was scheduled to leave San Francisco Friday morning. The passenger list, save the Post, included about 75 men from this city, who will be under direct command of V. Flores in the fishing district at Kariuk. Up to this date about 200 fishermen have sailed from this point, which is estimated as one-third the number that will go during the season.

The Bacciarini building on Railroad avenue was partially consumed by fire last week, which originated in a tailoring establishment.

Many big lumber vessels continue to show up at the local wharfs, and it is estimated that during the past week at least 1,200,000 feet of lumber has been unloaded at Pittsburg.

At the school election Dr. F. S. Gregory was selected as a trustee of the grammar school and A. V. McFaul as a member of the Riverview high school board of education.

ANTIOCH

A number of nice bungalow residences are being erected this spring in Antioch, and the local contractors and builders state that they have a number of contracts for similar residences for building during the summer season. Antioch is enjoying a healthful and steady growth, because the country surrounding it is doing likewise, and both the town and the surrounding country are on a splendid financial and prosperity footing. As the country builds up the town adds new manufacturing and business enterprises and business general is stated to be highly satisfactory to most everybody engaged in it.

Next Sunday will be a great day in Antioch for the Masonic fraternity not only for that section but of the whole county, and part of the bay region, for there will gather there on that day hundreds of the members of Masonry, with their wives and lady friends, for the purpose of holding a great get-together meeting and jollification generally. They will be banqueted by the local chapter of the order of Eastern Star and will be shown through the various manufacturing plants and also around the town and surrounding territory. It is expected that the attendance will be large and the enjoyment fully up to anything of the kind ever held in this county.

Antioch is going to hold frequent "clean-up days," and put itself in readiness for general inspection. The ladies of the Women's Club are behind the movement and are certainly deserving of praise. It is a good example which all other towns could well follow with profit.

CROCKETT

May 2nd is to be a great day at Crockett, for on that occasion May Day will be celebrated with appropriate ceremonies. Rithet Park and the new Carolina children's play grounds are to be the scenes of revelry and frolic and the kiddies are to be given a good time generally. The Carquinez Woman's Club will provide amusement and good "eats" for the children and the citizens generally will devote that day to pleasure and celebration. A May Pole dance will be one of the pretty features, and the crowning of a queen to be selected by ballot between now and then.

The new Congregational church is to be dedicated Sunday with appropriate ceremonies. It is a handsome edifice and a credit to the people of that denomination in Crockett who have brought it about. The church structure is an imposing two-story building, occupying a beautiful site overlooking Carquinez Straits. The beautiful cathedral windows were presented by the Sunday school of the church.

Extensive plans are on foot for the entertaining of the hundreds of delegates who will come to Crockett May 23 and 24 to attend the district meeting of the orders of Y. M. I. and Y. L. I., at which time a big celebration will be given them by the people of the town in general.

CONCORD

Many thousands of nut and fruit trees have been planted in the farming communities adjacent and tributary to Concord this spring and the result is going to be a tremendous increase in the output of nuts and all kinds of fruits, especially pears, which do exceptionally well in that locality. Concord already has a big reputation for these crops, and also for grapes and general farming products, which is now destined to grow, so must and will the town of Concord grow and prosper, which it is already doing and will continue to do. Concord is now one of the best and prettiest little cities in this section of California, and the average person would be surprised to note the growth and upbuilding generally. The coming of the Oakland-Antioch railroad gave to that section a wonderful impetus that is already producing astonishing results.

Owing to ill health Mrs. Emily Gavin has been compelled to resign as postmistress of Concord, and C. H. Guy will be appointed in her place.

The Women's Club at its meeting gram:

Vocal solo, Mrs. O. B. Atkisson; "Concord, Our Home," Mrs. Guy Green; Concord's Needs—Library, Mrs. Meehan; Cleanup Day, Mrs. P. M. Soto; Ordinances, Mrs. J. J. January; Our Streets, Mrs. Wight; Piano duet, Mrs. H. E. Ward and Mrs. Herrick. The talks on Concord's Needs will each be of five minutes duration.

SODALITY HOST AT RECEPTION

The Holy Name Sodality of Our Lady of Mercy Catholic church entertained last evening at a program and banquet held in the reception rooms of the church. The program for the evening follows:

Irish Jig and Reel dances, the music for which was supplied by Thomas Burns, first fiddler, Dan Murphy, second fiddler and Michael Barry, with the flute. Between the dances selections were given on the Edison Victrola from Harry Lauder, McCormick and Caruso. Twenty members were taken in which brings the membership close to the century mark.

COMING EVENTS

April 14—Whist party to be given by the ladies of St. Marks' parish in Pythian hall.

April 18—Third Annual Ball of Gustav Vasa Lodge No. 187. Music by Logan's orchestra. Admission 50 cents; ladies free.

April 18—Dancing party given by Court San Pablo, No. 8216, A. O. F. Foresters' Hall, San Pablo.

April 21—Tuesday, Whist party by members of Our Lady of Mercy Church.

April 23—Whist party to be given in Fraternal hall by the members of the Auxiliary to Brotherhood of Railway Engineers.

April 25 — Saturday evening; grand vaudeville entertainment and dance at Maple Hall, Third and Ohio streets, by the teaching staff of St. Mark's Sunday school, for the benefit of St. Mark's church.

April 26—Socialist picnic at East Shore park.

May 1, 2, 3—Celebration to be held by Richmond lodge of Elks in honor of dedicating new home.

May 4—Whist party in Bank hall by the St. Elisabeth's Court, Woman's Catholic Order of Foresters. Prizes.

May 9—Second annual ball to be held by the members of the drum corps F. O. E., at Maple hall, San Pablo.

May 9.—First annual ball given by The Pullman Fire Co. at East Shore park.

May 16—Second annual dance given at East Shore Park by Contra Costa Temple No. 118, Pythian Sisters.

May 12th.—Dance to be given in Pythian Castle by the members of the Richmond Club.

May 22—Dance to be given in Pythian hall by members of the Bluebell club.

May 27.—Dance at East Shore park, under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild of Trinity Episcopal church.

May 28—Social dance given by the Ye Olde Time Social Club at East Shore Park, admission fifty cents.

May 23rd—Dance to be given in Pythian hall by members of the Blue Bell club.

August 9—Annual picnic to be given at East Shore park by Richmond Aerie Eagles.

PARCEL POST TO HELP THE WORKING MAN

Postmaster Sam Jenkins is in receipt of a circular from Chas. W. Fay, postmaster at San Francisco, advising that an effort is being made to put the working man in touch with the producer of foodstuffs. Here is the circular:

"In order to extend the facilities of the parcel post service as rapidly as possible, and to give the public every possible advantage in connection therewith, the Post Office Department is at present engaged in working out a system whereby the producer and consumer of farm and dairy products can be brought in direct communication.

"The San Francisco Post Office has been designated by the Department to compile a list of names and addresses of producers who desire to sell country produce direct to the consumer. Such a list will be revised and reprinted at frequent intervals, will be kept posted in all post office stations, and will be delivered by carrier to any one who desires to secure it.

"The list will contain the names and addresses of all persons who have indicated to the Postmaster at San Francisco that they are in a position to handle produce in this manner, and wish to do so, togethes with the character of the produce they can furnish (under appropriate headings such as "butter," "eggs," "fruits and nuts," and "general produce,") the price and terms of payment, change of price, and such other descriptive matter or information it may be necessary to furnish.

"The list will be printed on or about the first of each month, and if a producer wishes his name to remain on the list he should so advise the Postmaster not later than the twentieth of the month; otherwise his name will not be reprinted. This is necessary in order that the list shall not be encumbered with unavailable names.

"Two deliveries of parcel post packages are made throughout the greater part of San Francisco each day. In the more remote portions of the city one delivery is made. All parcel post mail received during the morning is delivered before night; all received during the afternoon is delivered the next morning. These facts must be borne in mind by shippers so that they may time their shipments to the best advantage, more particularly when a shipment of perishable goods is due to arrive in this city on Saturday.

"Shippers should familiarize themselves as far as possible with parcel post rates and conditions, requirements as to packing and wrapping, time necessary for transportation and delivery, etc. This information will be furnished in response to a request on this office, or can be obtained from any postmaster. This office will be pleased to enter into correspondence with any one interested in this service, or who desires to be included in the list of producers or wishes to take advantage of it.

"CHAS. W. FAY,
"Postmaster."

Y. M. I. PREPARING FOR BIG MEETING

BENICIA, April 15.—Elaborate preparations for the entertainment of the visiting Y. M. I.s when they gather here for the district initiation on June 26 are being made by members of the local council.

The district includes most of the towns of Solano and Contra Costa counties and it is expected that the event will bring at least 500 members of the order here.

The committee in charge of arrangements for the coming meeting are:

Reception—L. W. Kuhland, P. J. Carolan, John McClain.

Publicity—John More, C. Kelly, J. J. McConologue.

Entertainment—D. Culver, A. Pometta.

Banquet—Dan McLaughlin, C. P. Culver, M. Sweeney.

Have you started saving song book coupons? If not turn to page eight and do it now.

Stopping a want ad in the Record-Herald, to save money, is like stopping a clock to save time.

NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, and in pursuance of a resolution of the Board of Education, passed and adopted by said Board on the 25th day of March, 1914, providing for a primary election for the nomination of a candidate for member of the Board of Education of the City of Richmond, California, on the 18th day of April, 1914, to which resolution reference is hereby specially made, notice is hereby given that the primary election for the nomination of a candidate for member of the Board of Education in and for the City of Richmond, California, will be held on the 18th day of April, 1914, for the nomination of one candidate for a member of the Board of Education for the term ending on the 30th day of January 1920.

For the puprose of holding said election all the precincts of the said City of Richmond as arranged for the holding of the next gubernational election shall and are hereby consolidated into voting precincts as follows:

CONSOLIDATED ELECTION PRECINCT NUMBER 1

To be comprised of Precincts Numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.

Polling Place: City Hall, 210 Washington Ave.

Officers of Election: Inspector, Mrs. Ambro Whitcomb.

Judges: Mrs. Nellie W. Adams and A. Odell.

CONSOLIDATED ELECTION PRECINCT NUMBER 2.

To be comprised of Precincts Numbered 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13.

Polling Place: Lincoln School, 10th Street.

Officers of Election: Inspector, G. A. White.

Judges: Nannie L. Nesbit and Sarah L. Little.

CONSOLIDATED ELECTION PRECINCT NUMBER 3

To be comprised of Precincts Numbered 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19.

Polling Place: Public Library, Fourth and Nevin Avenue.

Officers of Election: Inspector, Charles B. Evans.

Judges: Mrs. Edna B. Felch and Dora R. Jones.

CONSOLIDATED ELECTION PRECINCT NUMBER 4

To be comprised of Precincts Numbered 20, 21 and 22.

Polling Place: High School Building, 23rd Street.

Officers of Election: Inspector, H. G. Stidham.

Judges: Carl Engleman and Mrs. Anna B. Jarvis.

CONSOLIDATED ELECTION PRECINCT NUMBER 5

To be comprised of Precincts Numbered 23 and 24.

Polling Place: Citizens' Progressive Club House.

Officers of Election: Inspector, H. F. G. Dohrmann.

Judges: Florilla M. Brown and Lydia Donaldson.

CONSOLIDATED ELECTION PRECINCT NUMBER 6

To be comprised of Stege Precincts Numbered 1 and 2.

Polling Place: Fairmont School, Kearney and Eureka Streets.

Officers of Election: Inspector, A. Lane.

Judges: Mrs. Annie M. Lotter and Fannie V. Conlon.

The polls shall be open at 6 o'clock A. M. of said day and shall be kept open continuously up to and until 7 o'clock P. M. of said day when the polls shall be closed.

The names of all the candidates for member of the Board of Education for which each qualified elector of the City of Richmond and of Richmond School District of Contra Costa County, California, may vote for one only, are as follows:

VIRGINIA DIXON GEOGHEGAN
MARMION A. HAYS
JAMES NICHOLS LONG
LUCETTA WOOD DUNLAP
MRS. DONALD B. PRYDE

By order of the Board of Education of the City of Richmond, and of Richmond School District, of Contra Costa County, State of California.

W. T. HELMS, Clerk.

April 13, 14, 15, 16, 17.

NOTICE TO WAR VETERANS

In order to obtain exemption of assessment of property as Veteran of the wars of the United States as provided in Section 1 1-4 of Article XIII of the Constitution of the State of California, it will be necessary to apply in person at the County Assessor's Office, Martinez, Cal., before the 20th day of March, 1914, (and each year thereafter) and swear to the proper Affidavit of Exemption. In making this application it will be necessary to present your honorable discharge. The applicant shall be entitled to exemption only on property within the County in which he or she is a resident: EXCEPT in those cases, where the value of the applicant's property is less than $1000. If through any physical disability, you are unable to appear at the Assessor's office, notify the Assessor and a Deputy Assessor will be sent to your residence, with the proper affidavit of exemption.

GEORGE O. MEEBE,
Assessor.

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NOTICE OF AWARD OF CONTRACT NO. 196-2

Pursuant to Statute and to Resolution of Award No. 196-2, of the City Council of the City of Richmond, directing this notice,

NOTICE is hereby given that said City Council, in open session on the 13th day of April, 1914, publicly opened, examined and declared all sealed bids or proposals offered for the following work, to-wit:

That Ninth Street from the southerly line of Chanslor Avenue to the northerly line of the right of way of the Oakland Branch of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway be graded to its full width to the official lines, grades and specifications, paved with bitulithic pavement consisting of a four (4) inch broken rock bituminous base, a two inch bitulithic wearing surface with a bitulithic flush coat, and guttered, curbed, and sidewalked with cement concrete.

Excepting therefrom any of the above work required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or corporation having railroad tracks thereon, and further excepting any of said work now in to the official lines, grades, and specifications.

Reference is hereby made to Patent License Agreement of Warren Brothers Company, dated May 17, 1913, now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Richmond.

All the above described work shall be done in accordance with the plans and specifications adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond for said work by its resolution duly passed at a regular meeting of said Council held on the 9th day of March, 1914, and numbered 196-2, now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Richmond, reference thereto being especially made.

That said city Council under the authority conferred upon it by the provisions of that certain act of the Legislature of the State of California approved April 7, 1911 and known as the "Improvement Act of 1911," determines and declares that serial bonds be issued to represent the cost of said proposed improvements; said bonds shall be serial, extending over a period of five(5) years from the second day of January next succeeding their date, and shall be issued to represent assessments of twenty-five dollars ($25.00) or more remaining unpaid for thirty (30) days after the date of the warrant issued to the contractor, or five (5) days after the decision of said council upon an appeal; an even annual proportion of the principal sum of each bond shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January of each year after its date until the whole is paid, and the interest shall be payble semi-annually, by coupon, on the second days of January and July, respectively, of each year at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid until the whole of said principal and interest is paid; and said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of said "Improvement Act of 1911."

And thereafter, on the 13th day of April, 1914, by Resolution of Award No. 196-2, awarded the contract for said work to the lowest responsible bidder, towit: To Municipal Improvement Company, at the prices named for said work in its proposal on file namely:

For Street Work.

For Excavating, $ .47 Per Cubic Yard.

For Filling, $ .58 Per Cubic Yard.

For Paving with Bitulithic, $.177 Per Square Foot.

For Cement Sidewalk, $.14 Per Square Foot.

For Gutters, $ .20 Per Square Foot.

For Cement Curbing, $ .37 1-2 Per Linear Foot.

Said award has been duly approved by the Mayor of the City of Richmond.

Dated, April 14, 1914.

(Seal) A. C. FARIS,
City Clerk of the City of Richmond.

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CHARITY COMMITTEE HOLDS MEETING

The charity committee composed of members from the Richmond club and the West Side Woman's Improvement club held a meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. W. R. Scrogg, 525 Nevin Avenue and it was decided to divide the city into districts when members of the committee will take the field for the purpose of making a thorough canvass concerning sociological conditions in the city. After the reports of the canvassers are received a definite plan of work will be outlined.

FRATERNAL AID DANCE A SUCCESS

A large number of young people were in attendance at the Ten Cent social dance in A. O. U. W. hall last evening by the members of the Fraternal Aid.

The committee which had charge of the evening's affair were Mrs. George Williams and Mrs. J. A. Edwards.

FEE FOR LAWYER SIX DOLLARS

There is little cheer for lawyers who anticipate business through the operations of the Accident Insurance Commission, which regulates the compensation of injured employees. The first decision involving a claim for legal fees was handed down yesterday, and the amount awarded a firm of attorneys for services was $6.60.

The case was that of Joseph Bemmer, bartender at a local cafe, who fell and injured himself. The insurance company with which his employers do business refused payment, but the Accident Insurance Commission ruled that he should be compensated in the amount of $63, covering a period of six weeks. He had engaged a legal firm to represent him, and they demanded payment, receiving $6.60 fixed by the board.

As outlined by Secretary Cross, it is the purpose of the commission to make the employment of attorneys unnecessary in seeking redress at the hands of the state board, and it will be held that no previous agreement, whereby an applicant shall agree to pay a certain portion of his compensation to the attorney, shall be considered binding.

REPUBLICANS OF THE COUNTY NOW ORGANIZED

OFFICERS OF THE CONTRA COSTA COUNTY REPUBLICAN CLUB

President, C. M. Belshaw.
Vice president, M. R. Jones.
Secretary, A. F. Bray.
Treasurer, W. R. Meese.
Executive Committee
C. S. Hannum, Francis W. Reid, R. Harkinson.

MARTINEZ, April 14.—Through the adoption of a resolution offered M. R. Jones on Saturday afternoon at the meeting called for the purpose of organizing a Republican club, May 9 was designated as Republican day and steps are to be taken to proceed with the organization of Republican clubs in every town in Contra Costa county on that date.

Attorney Ralph H. Wight suggested that the candidates who are to enter the race for state office be invited to appear at the club meetings, but this suggestion was tabled and it was decided that if candidates wished to appear at club meetings later they may do so, but it would not be wise to have them at club organizations.

Among the speakers of the afternoon were Ira J. Kilgore, E. C. Fisher, R. R. Veale, Supervisor Hook, Levi P. Boswell, Francis W. Reid, J. Rio Baker, A. B. McKenzie, D. J. Lucey, L. R. Mead, Ben Soto, R. H. Ingraham, A. J. Soto, Joe Williams, A. F. Bray, Judge C. S. Hannum, W. R. Meese, W. F. Huber, Ernest Scholz.

On motion of District Attorney A. B. McKenzie the Republican Contra Costa County Republican Clut was organized and officers elected as above given.

Judge Hannum suggested that the time has arrived when the line must be drawn sharply in state and national politics, a Democrat must be styled as a Democrat by the Republicans and a Republican must be styled as a Republican and a Progressive must be regarded as a Progressive.

Charles E. Fisher, who was the Republican candidate for the office of state senator at the recall election against Senator Owens, stated that those who had left the Republican party must not be derated but an effort should be made to get the Progressives back into the fold. This prompted Chairman Belshaw to remark that he viewed this suggestion in the same light as the slogan of the old time camp meeting, "While the light holds out to burn, the vilest sinner might return." Chairman Belshaw also remarked that this was not what has been styled the Brenner organization of the Republican party, but a straight organization, unlike the "bunch of pirates" who swallowed up the organization in the state.

EASTER PARTY IS ENJOYED YESTERDAY

A jolly easter party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Hartsink in the Richmond Annex tract yesterday when a large number of little folks were entertained. Those present at the party were: Margaret Powell, Edna May Powell, Lawrence Galvin, Mary M. Galvon, Master Jockson, Master W. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hartsink, Mr. and Mrs. A. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. J. McChesney, Mr. and Mrs. J. Vargas, Mr. and Mrs. H. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. E. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. E. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bowers, Miss Jessie Ortman, Miss Ethel Galvin, Mrs. F. Billets, Mrs. R. Townsend, Mrs. Head, Edgar Jarvis, Ross Lee, Lee Pircher, C. Ortman, G. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. McColly, Miss Margaret McColly and Miss Jessie McColly.

Arthur Livingstone who recently resigned from the management of the Royal theater on the west side left yesterday afternoon for a few days' trip to Reno.

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7....	.60	1.05	1.40	2.25	3.50
8....	.70	1.20	1.60	2.50	4.00
9....	.80	1.35	1.80	2.75	4.50
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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—New Five-Room modern cottage, 540 18th St. Small payment down, $25 per month, including interest. This is one of the most beautiful houses in this city. Apply 147 11th. Mar 10-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Large 5-room house, two lots; No. 444 12th St. Owner at 151 8th. Mar 9 tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Pleasant Rooms with board, suitable for one or two gentlemen, private family, modern conveniences. 180 11th St., Phone 626. Ap 15 6t

TO LEASE—Lodging house, 22-room. Mostly furnished. Truitt & Moyle, 709 Macdonald ave., Phone 196. Apr 11 1 wk

FOR RENT—Two light house housekeeping rooms for man and wife; 1930 Barrett avenue. April 12 3t

FOR RENT—Swell apartment of six rooms in "The Florence," Tenth St. Apply Mrs. Walsh, 315 Nevin Ave. Feb. 27-tf

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FOUND—At corner of 16th & Nevin Ave. A 2-ft. rule and pr. of gold spectacles in case; owner can have same by calling at Record-Herald office and paying for this ad. Mar 18 tf

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FOR SALE—My beautiful, almost new Player Piano; will take easy payments rather than pay storage. Address Bargain, care Record-Herald. April 10 tf

NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1914.

Registration closes for the purpose of voting for school trustees, on March 3rd, 1914.

For the purpose of voting at municipal elections, on March 13, 1914.

For the purpose of voting at the primary election, on July 25th, 1914.

For the purpose of voting at the General Election, on October 3rd, 1914.

You may register with the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated: January 22nd, 1914.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County, State of California.

The following are registration deputies:

Richmond—A. C. Faris, City Hall; I. R. Vaughn, City Treasurer's Office; Geo. K. Drew, Pt. Richmond; Fred C. Schram, 422 Macdonald avenue; Katherine Zimmerman, 432 C. St.; Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington St.; W. N. Youngiove, 2219 Macdonald Ave.; Mary A. Shoemaker 1024 Barrett Ave.; H. H. Turley 724 S. 30th St.; Nannie L. Nesbit 621 Bissell Ave.; D. A. Knowles, 340 20th St.; F. J. Frost, 517 Ripley Ave.; C. B. O'Hara, 434 Fourth St.; Anna Belle Jarvis, 544 20th St.; N. M. Blankenship, 528 Third St.; F. H. Eggerth, 519 14th St.; C. W. Luckett, Pt. Richmond; W. F. Petillon; Geo. E. Schram, 422 Macdonald Ave.; B. B. Pierce, Park Place; Trthur H. Taylor, Winehaven

Stege—W. H. Johnston.
San Pablo—Geo. E. Valencia.
Stege Junction—W. F. Huber.
Rust—F. J. White.
Giant—W. H. Williams.
Pinole—E. C. Ebsen, E. M. Downer, J. T. Fraser, Zittella Buckley Mrs. Lucia Robinson.
Hercules—A. M. Ashenfelter.
Rodeo—Mrs. Marie Smith.
Selby—Alex J. Reilly, J. E. Horvat.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

STATE AND CONUTY TAXES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1913-1914

Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez.

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa County the duplicate Assessment Book for the fiscal year 1913-1914, and

1st. That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on real property will be due and payable on and after the

Second Monday in October

1913, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in November

next thereafter at 6 o'clock P. M., and unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and if said one-half be not paid before the

Last Monday in April, 1914

at 6 o'clock P. M., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. The remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January,

1914, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April

next thereafter at 6 o'clock P. M., and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount therof.

2d. That all taxes may be paid at the time of the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

3d. That payment of taxes must be made at the office of the Tax Collector, in the town of Martinez.

M. W. JOOST,
Tax Collector of Contra Costa County.

First publication, Nov. 10, 1913.
Last publication April 30, 1914.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

In the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California.

Roderick Gillis, plaintiff, vs. Archie Gordon and Phoebe Gordon, defendants.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale under Foreclosure of Mortgage.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, on the 9th day of March A. D. 1914, wherein the above named plaintiff obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure against the said defendants on the 9th day of March A. D. 1914, for the sum of One Hundred Forty-seven and 69-100 ($147.69) dollars and the additional sum of Ninety-four and 30-100 ($94.30) dollars costs, including counsel fees, which said judgment and decree was on the 9th day of March, 1914, recorded in Judgment Book No. 13 of said Superior Court, on page 397, I am commanded to sell at public auction, and in the manner prescribed by law, all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows:

Being lot Forty-four (44) in Block Nineteen (19), Bay View Tract, as said lot and block are respectively laid down and delineated on the map of Bay View Park, filed in the office of the County Recorder, in the County of Contra Costa, on April 4, 1905.

And public notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the 7th day of May A. D. 1914, at 11 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the front door of the Court House in the Town of Martinez, County of Contra Costa, State of California, I will in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc. to the highest bidder for cash, gold coin of the United States.

Dated at Martinez, Cal., April 9th, 1914.

R. R. VEALE, Sheriff of Contra Costa County.
E. ERNEST DICKSON, Eureka, Cal., Attorney for Plaintiff.

April 15, 22, 29; May 6th.

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POLITICAL Announcements

To the Voters of the First Supervisorial District, Contra Costa County, California.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Supervisor to represent the people of the above district on the board of supervisors of Contra Costa county.

Primary-election, Aug. 25, 1914.
General election, Nov. 3, 1914.

As under the existing law the election for County Officers is non-partisan, I propose to base my candidacy upon a determination to act as an official in a non-partisan manner and not to be swayed in my official conduct by political or other influence.

Very respectfully,
WM. F. HUBER,
Party Affiliation: Republican.

TO THE VOTERS OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY:

I hereby announce myself a candidate for **SUPERIOR JUDGE** of Contra Costa county. Primary election AUG. 25, 1914. General election NOV. 3, 1914.

Under the present law all county officials are elected by a non-partisan vote. If elected I shall stand for a fair and impartial trial of all cases with the least delay possible.

C. A. CLARK.

TO THE VOTERS OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY:

At the request of his friends ZEB KNOTT announces himself as a candidate for

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War Veterans Plan Encampment

Martinez in Gala Attire for Event

One of the biggest affairs to be held by the Spanish War Veterans of the bay counties will be the Eleventh Annual Encampment which is to be held at Martinez from May 10th to 14th.

The program for the celebration follows:

Sunday, May 10th.

Welcome and Reception to the Ladies' Auxiliary, Delegates and Visiting Comrades.

Monday, May 11th.

Address of Welcome, Mayor J. J. McNamara.

Response, Department Commander L. F. Stephensen.

Presentation of Gavel to Dept. Commander Stephensen by Past Commander T. W. Jensen of General Fitzhugh Lee Camp No. 19.

Assembly.

Calling Roll of Officers.

Address by Past Department Commander B. A. Forsterer.

Business Session.

Adjournment.

Evening Session.

Open Air Concert by Martinez Municipal Band.

Dancing.

Tuesday, May 12th.

Business session to 12 o'clock noon.

12:11 P. M., Railroad Excursion to Cowell Cement Works on slope of Mt. Diablo, where delegates and Visitors will be guests of Manager W. H. George.

Evening Session.

Parade of Military Order of Serpent.

Convocation, Grand Lair of California.

Crawl of Snaix.

Conferring Grade of Katipunah.

Open Air Concert by Martinez Band.

Dancing.

Wednesday, May 13th.

Business Session in Morning.

Street Parade at 3:00 P. M.

Evening Session

Banquet to Ladies Auxiliary and Delegates.

Open Air Concern by Martinez Municipal Band.

Dancing.

Thursday, May 14th.

8:00 A. M., Steamer Excursion along the shores of Contra Costa County, visiting the many localities and manufacturing establishments, including the California-Hawaiian Sugar Refinery at Crockett, where General Manager George M. Rolph will be the host, and the California Wine Association plant at Winehaven.

9:00 P. M., Grand Ball for Delegates and Visitors.

(Program subject to change).

W. C. T. U. Column

(Items of news contributed by W. C. T. U. Press Committee, Richmond.)

The death a few days ago of Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens of Portland, Me., removes from the ranks of the W. C. T. U. one of its ablest and most devoted workers. She has been for some time president of the national union of this country and vice president of the international union; also editor-in-chief of the "Union Signal," the very efficient American organ of the W. C. T. U.

On April 7th women voted at township elections in Illinois for the first time. Local option brought the liquor question to the front in some 200 townships, and the vote of women citizens changed about 200 of these townships from "wet" to 'dry" which means the closing of 1000 saloons. The victory includes the cities of Bloomington, Galesburg, Elgin, Decatur, Canton, Freeport, Belvidere, Monmouth, Kewanee, Lockport and East Galena.

Minnesota cities of the fourth class held local option elections April 7th ind in a vast majority of cities the result was 'dry."

Local option elections throughout Nebraska resulted in a very large majority of the towns going dry or remaining so.

The order of Secretary of the Navy Daniels barring the use of alcoholic liquors in the navy after July 1st next is not only wise, but most democratic inasmuch at it applies alike to officers and enlisted men. It is based upon indisputable evidence of how wine, beer and champagne in the mess affects the health, habits, character and efficiency of those who partake of the beverages. This order was recommended by Surgeon-General Braicted who advanced the strongest reasons in support of such a course. What right have we, as a government, to expose young men becoming officers in our navy to the temptations of drink by the example and persuasions of older officers? Many of the youths had never tasted alcohol until they were urged to its use by men who should be fine examples of the best living and highest efficiency, but who, by the use of alcohol at mess, were a distinct injury instead of help to the boys. In this connection we wish to quote briefly from a long and exhaustive article by Colonel L. M. Maus, of the Medical Corps, U. S. Army Department Surgeon, Eastern Department, stationed at Governor's Island, N. Y., entitled "Diseases of Degeneracy."

"Many who denounce ardent spirits, consider beer a wholesome and sustaining food, but as a matter of fact beer drinkers are especially liable to fatty and enlarged heart, diseases of the liver and kidneys, complicated with dropsy, arteriosclerosis, gout and rheumatism. As a sequelae of beer drinking we find an infected and loaded circulation, embarassed respiration, functional perversion, hepatic and renal congestion, and a diminished vitality which invites disease and death.

"The mortality of brewers between the ages of fifty and sixty is about three times as great as that of individuals who follow the ordinary occupations of life.

"Post-mortems disclose, as a result of the continued use of beer, a dilated stomach, fatty heart, diseased arteries, liver and kidneys, a yellow adipose deposit under the skin and general injury to the tissues throughout the system. The immunity or resisting powers of the white corpuscles and plasma of the blood is greatly destroyed in beer drinkers, which leaves the individual unprotected against infectious diseases and the poisonous toxins they generate. Graphically speaking, the constitution of the chronic beer drinker is "shot to pieces" at forty or fifty years of age, and his system may be aptly compared to the condition of a wooden structure in the Philippines which has been honeycombed by white ants.

"The child born of alcoholic parents rarely equals the child born of sober parentage, and seldom rises above mediocrity. While there may be more or less immunity to the alcoholic addict, there is never immunity to the parental germ or the maternal ovum of men and women in whose blood alcohol circulates. For this reason the progeny of drinking men and women, even those who indulge in moderation, are subjected to the greatest risk of pre-natal injury. And it matters not whether the alcohol is taken into the system in the form of beer, wine or spirits."

On February 28th the 800 saloons of Memphis, Tenn., in accordance with the new state law making owners of saloons and bartenders, subject to arrest, closed their doors and hung out crepe in token of their feelings. Many of these saloons had been in business 60 years.

Among the 125,000 men employed on the great Pennsylvania Railroad system, the average number of those who break the rule against the use of intoxicants is one man in 800. From the division superintendent to the section track gang laborer the following rule is enforced upon all alike: "The use of intoxicants by employes while on duty is prohibited. Their habitual use, or the frequenting of places where they are sold is sufficient cause for dismissal." This same railroad a few years ago stopped paying by check because it was found men sometimes went to saloons to get checks cashed.

The New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. began, March 1st, to discontinue the sale of liquor on all trains throughout its entire territory.

In Illinois twenty-five railroads under a rule recently adopted by the General Managers' Association of Chicago, agreed to discontinue the sale of liquor, with or without meals, in that state. Other railroads have done the same elsewhere.

Madame Nordica has said much against liquor and the following words are quoted from an interview with this great singer and traveler: "One thing is certain—wherever prohibition has carried, the people are cleaner, better set up, happier, and more prosperius. The towns are ever so much better."

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MARTINEZ PEOPLE HOLD ELECTION

MARTINEZ, April 15.—J. E. Colton defeated R. H. Wight for city trustee at the municipal election in Martinez Monday by a majority of ninety. C. P. Howard was re-elected and C. E. Daley continued as city clerk and George H. Lyford as city treasurer.

Out of the total registration of 491 voters to the number of 389 exercised the privilege of their franchise.

The issue of the day lay between the winery man and the operatic impressario who came into the fray at the last moment which necessitated those voting for him to write his name on the ballot.

The friends of the rivals put in an active day taking voters to the polls. Mr. Colton did not seek office. In fact it was only upon repeated urging and to save the city from the reproach of having the position from which C. G. Bacon retired go by default that he consented to permit his name to go down on the nominating petition. Mr. Colton is an old time resident of Martinez and a successful business man. He will take to the position to which he has been elected the best service that is in him. Of his loyalty to the community's interests there is no question. He has affection for its people and "Jud" Colton as we all know him, may have his faults but his virtues far overset the balance in those things which count in the summing up of human assets. He isn't an angel and to his credit he would scorn the title while on this earth.

Fly Traps Distributed

Steam Beer For Bait

Richmond now has the proud distinction of being the only municipality in the great state of California that sports an official fly and mosquito catcher and that individual took up his duties yesterday when he proceeded to distribute the seventy-five "Getum" fly traps recently purchased by the city from the Dunlap Manufacturing company, about town.

Health Commissioner C. R. Blake purchased a large supply of steam beer yesterday for bait and if Richmond does not become a flyless city before many moons pass it will not be the fault of Richmond's efficient health commissioner, who is determined to do all in his power to make our city the cleanest on the Pacific coast.

The traps are being baited with a generous supply of beer and are being placed at points about the city where they are likely to do the most good.

The official fly man will look after the traps and will keep them supplied with bait and when they contain as many flies as they will hold he will empty them and set the trap for more. When he is not too busy looking after the fly traps he will devote his time to looking after the mosquito pests and will keep all ponds within the limits of the city covered with a film of oil.

WELL KNOWN SACRAMENTIAN PICKED UP

John Miles, a prominent produce dealer of Sacramento, was picked up at a late hour last evening wandering in a bewildered condition in the vicinity of Eighteenth street and Cutting boulevard, by Officer Munday. Miles said that he remembered leaving San Francisco for Sacramento, but could give no account as to how he happened to be in this city.

He was held at the police station until this morning when he was allowed to go on his way.

Dean Is Freed By McKenzie

The charges against Pat Dean on file in the local police court were dismissed yesterday afternoon by Judge Lindsey acting under instructions from District Attorney A. B. McKenzie.

Dean was arrested some time ago and charged with disorderly conduct by Officer Sam Wright, of the local police force. The matter was aired at several meetings of the city council and was finally referred by that body to the county prosecutor.

McKenzie in a letter to the police judge states that there would be no chance of obtaining a conviction in the case and was of the opinion that a dismissal would be the best for all parties concerned. District Attorney McKenzie's letter follows:

In the Police Court of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California.

The People of the State of California against P. M. Dean, defendant.

To W. Lindsey, Police Judge of said Court:

I beg to say that I have personally examined into the facts of the above entitled case, and have interrogated witnesses, and from such investigation I learn that the evidence on the particular charge set forth in the Complaint, is conflicting and in my judgment would not justify an expectation of securing a conviction. The facts in the case, as I understand them would be more likely to sustain a charge brought under the provisions of Section 1 of Ordinance No. 75 of the City of Richmond.

I therefore authorize you to dismiss the above entitled action.

Respectfully yours,
A. B. McKENZIE,
District Attorney.

SAN PABLO GIRL MARRIED YESTERDAY

Miss Josephine Masterson, daughter of the late E. B. Masterson of San Pablo, yesterday afternoon became the bride of Michael Anderson, also of San Pablo. The simple wedding ceremony was solemnized in San Francisco at the conclusion of which the couple left for a short honeymoon trip to the southern part of the state.

Miss Masterson is a member of several social organizations and has a large number of friends, while Anderson is a popular employe of the Standard Oil company.

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AGED CHINAMAN IS ATTACKED BY HIGHBINDERS LAST NIGHT

(Continued from Page 1)

Hastily dressing himself he seized an ax and started to look for the midnight prowlers. He had not gone but a few feet from his door when he was suddenly stopped by four men who sprang out from behind a wood pile and with revolvers leveled at his heart demanded that he tell where his money was hid. Lim, without waiting, swung his heavy ax, all the while backing toward the gate leading onto the Point Orient road. Twenty-five minutes after receiving the report Chief Arnold, in the fast police auto, was speeding to the shrimp camp..

A thorough search of the place and surrounding canyons and gullies was made by Detective Walker and Sergeant Ruiz today with no new clues as to where the four Chinamen were hiding. Lim stated that he would not stay at the camp another night as he fears that bodily harm will be done by the three highbinder gunmen.

There will be a story hour at the public library on next Thursday afternoon, beginning at 4 o'clock.

OF IMPORTANCE TO THE WOMEN

A short time ago the firm of Jones & Adkison placed on sale a choice lot of dress skirts and by giving due publicity to the women of Richmond through the columns of the Record-Herald, succeeded in disposing of almost the entire stock. These skirts, to be sure, were not of the ordinary kind, in fact many were worth nearly three times the price asked for them. Those who were fortunate to obtain one of the skirts, were very enthusiastic over the value they received and told their friends about it. Since that time this firm has had many calls for similar skirts but, of course could not fill the demand. However they have again obtained a number just as good value—skirts of the very newest models and in the choicest of spring materials that they're going to sell at juct the same price they sold the others—$2.95. The assortment is so varied that any taste can be satisfied in both style and material. The price is so ridiculously low that no doubt many women will avail themselves of the opportunity by purchasing two or more of the skirts, so those who want the best selection should not delay their going to the store. A glance in the display windows of this store will give a good idea of the excellence of the values to be obtained.

MANY ATTEND BIG Y. L. I. CARD PARTY

The whist party given last evening by the Y. L. I., for the benefit of St. Mark's church, at Pythian Castle, proved to be one of the most nejoyable card parties held for some time. At the conclusion of the card playing delightful refreshments were served by the ladies, and dancing was indulged in by the large crowd in attendance.

The prize winners were as follows: Ladies' first, Margaret Jeffreys; second, Mary Dinneen; third, Mrs. S. H. Wright; consolation, Miss T. Teipel; gentlemen's first, H. C. Brombacher; second, G. Burg; third, O. Tobiason; consolation, Herman Chavez. The arrangements for the evening were in charge of a committee composed of Mrs. L. Smith, Mrs. J. Craig, Miss Sadie Smith, and others.

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CHAT AND DOPE BASE BALL

Whether or not the Grove street ball grounds of Oakland are to be strung with Japanese lanterns and other Oriental fantasies Sunday afternoon when the locals will tangle with the Keiyo University is not as yet known. The game will undoubtedly be a rattling slam bang affair from the start as the little fellows from the Far East have been known to make things warm no matter what the occasion was. Hashmaura (who ever he is) will oppose Charlie Burns on the mound.

SEATON A FED

Tommy Seaton, yesterday afternoon started his flinging career with the Feds, when he pitched the Brooklyn squad to a 1 to 0 victory over the Pittsburg pennant chasers.

SHAW STINGING BALL

"Hunky" Shaw in the second game of the Northwest league season with Vancouver out of four times to the plate slapped the horsehide for a triple and two doubles.

NEW SPORT WRITER

"Sid" Richmond of the Daily News, whose breezy, baseball jottings have sent many fans into fits of humor has accepted as a side issue a position with the Pacific Amateur Baseball association as press representative for the Industrial League of this county.

CHILDS RETURNS

"Midgett" Childs was in town last evening and stated that he had a great time in his opening game of the Trolley League. "Midgett" will probably leave to make his permanent residence in Colusa about the first of next week.

Party leaving city will store best make of upright player piano with responsible party who will purchase later. Address, piano, care Record-Herald Co. April 10 tf

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